

REMARKS

This is a full and timely response to the non-final Office Action of July 13, 2006. The Applicants have chosen apparatus claims 1-12 to be examined and cancelled method claims 13-18. Further, the Applicants have added new apparatus claims 19-20 for examination. The Applicants have selected the apparatus claims 1-12 without traverse and have added claims 19-20.

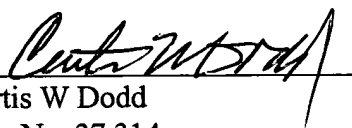
The Applicants have secured the services of a registered patent agent. The enclosed executed Power of Attorney Forms provided with this Response indicate that Curtis W Dodd (Registration No. 37,314) now represents the Applicants.

CONCLUSION

If the Examiner has any questions or comments regarding Applicants' response, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone Applicants' undersigned representative.

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